

USA GYMNASTICS
Rhythmic National Team

Taryn Look

Hometown:	Bloomfield Hills, Mich.
Residence:	Bloomfield Hills, Mich.
Date/Place of Birth:	May 16, 1986/New York, NY
Club:	Oakland Rhythmics
Coach:	Charlene Negron, Stella Angelova
School:	Lake Placid High School
Year in School:	10th (Fall '01)
Began Gymnastics:	1996
Favorite Apparatus/Event:	All
Years on National Team:	2 (2000-2001, 2001-2002 group)

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Personal Info

Look is the youngest of two children to Peter and Lori Look. Her brother Tom (4/12/85) is active in swimming and used to be a wrestler. Look's favorite subjects in school are French, Biology and English. She is interested in studying business and medicine. Her favorite book is "Matilda" by Roald Dahl and she listens to pop, rap and hip hop music. Look began rhythmic gymnastics after watching the rhythmic competition in Atlanta during the 1996 Olympic Games. Jessica Howard is Look's role model because she admires her hard work, determination and perseverance. Look's goal is to to be the best she can be and to help raise the status of U.S. Rhythmic gymnastics in the world.

International Competition

- 2000 Jr. Rhythmic Pan American Games, San Felipe, Venezuela; 1st-team, 6th-rope

National Competition

- 2001 U.S. Rhythmic National Championships, Philadelphia, Pa.; 11th-AA
- 2000 U.S. Rhythmic National Championships, St. Louis, Mo.; 2nd-AA, 4th-rope, 3rd-hoop, 1st-ball, 1st-clubs
- 2000 Level 9 National Championships, Houston, Texas; 1st-AA, 1st-rope, 1st-hoop, 1st-ball, 1st-clubs
- 1999 J.O. Championships, Syracuse, NY; 2nd-AA
- 1998 J.O. Championships, Orlando, Fla.; 1st-AA